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SUBJECT: SERBIA INFORMED OF APRIL GICNT MEETING IN KOREA

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(SBU) Branka Latinovic, the Head of the MFA Directorate for Weapons Control, received a jointly delivered demarche on March 12 from Petar Frolov, Counselor of the Russian Embassy and POLOFF. Latinovic indicated that Serbia would not be able to attend either the Global Initiative to Combat Nuclear Terrorism (GICNT) workshop on April 14-15 or the meeting on April 16 due to financial limitations. On a related note, Latinovic indicated that Serbia would participate in the 5th Plenary Meeting of the GICNT meeting on June 16-17 in The Hague. However, she stated that the Dutch have not yet provided Serbia a formal invitation.

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